

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, JULY 24, 2007**, upon the application of **EL PASO E&P COMPANY, LP**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Pettet Zone, Reservoir B, and the Hosston C Zone**, in the Danville Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Pettet Zone, Reservoir B.
2. To create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Pettet Zone, Reservoir B, such unit being designated PET RB SUA and being shown on the plat submitted with the application.
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
4. To designate El Paso E&P Company, LP as operator of, and its Martin Timber 7 No. 1 Well as the unit well for, the proposed unit.
5. To provide that future wells drilled to the Pettet Zone, Reservoir B, within or outside of the proposed unit be located in accordance with the provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
6. To approve the downhole combination of production from the Pettet Zone, Reservoir B, underlying PET RB SUA with production from the Hosston C Zone, underlying HOSS C SUAA, in the wellbore of the proposed unit well and in any future wells drilled on these units in which the ownership interests in the units are identical.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Pettet Zone, Reservoir B, is defined as that gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the measured depths of 7,600 feet and 7,660 feet in the El Paso (formerly Sonat Exploration)-Martin Timber 7 No. 1 Well, located in Section 7, Township 14 North, Range 5 West, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

The Hosston C Zone is defined in Supplement to Office of Conservation Order No. 729-B, effective April 1, 1972.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.
www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.